Dated 7th July 1976

Consumer price index number for working class at **Harihar Centre**, for the month of June 1976.

Interim series with arithmetically shifted base year 1960—100,

Index for June 1976—300.

A rise of 2 points.

The Consumer price index number for working class at Harihar Centre for the month of June 1976 works out to 300 points thereby showing a rise of 2 points as compared with the index number of the previous month. This index is lower by 50 points as compared with that of the corresponding month of the previous year which stood at 350 points.

The variations in the group indices of the current month when compared with those of the previous month are indicated below :—

1. The index number of food group has increased by 4 points to 292 points due to a rise in the prices of Ragi, Tuvdhal, Jaggery, Ghee II Sort, Groundnut Oil, Coriander and Wheat.

2. The index number of fuel and lighting group has remained constant at 369 points

3. The index number of clothing group has remained constant 488 points.

4. The index number of rent group has been kept constant at 100 points, since no periodical surveys have been conducted.

5. The index number of miscellaneous group has remained constant at 233 points.

Sl. No.	Groups	Weights proportional to total expenditure	Group index numbers for the months of		
			June 1975	May 1976	June 1976
1.	Food	58.4	373	288	292
2.	Fuel and light	6.9	367	369	369
3.	Clothing	10.3	481	488	488
4.	Rent	2.4	100	100	100
5.	Miscellaneous	22.00	232	233	233
	All groups	100.0	350	298	300

The conversion factor for general index nos. is 4 65. To get the index numbers on base 1936-38—100, the index numbers with base 1960—100 has to be multiplied by the C F. (4.65)

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Dated 5th July 1976

Consumer price index numb r for working class at Hassan centre, for the month of June 1976.

Interim series with arithmetically shifted base year 1960—100.

Index for June 1976—309

A rise of 2 points.

The consumer price index number for working class at Hassan centre for the month of June 1976, works out to 309 points thereby showing a rise of 2 points as compared with the index number of the previous month. This index is lower by 40 points as compared with that of the corresponding with of the previous year which stood at 349 points.

The variations in the group indices of the current month when compared with those of the previous month are indicated below :

1. The index number of food group has increased by 3 points to 294 points due to a rise in the prices of raw rice, ragi, bengalgram avarekhal, jaggery groundnut oil, tamarind, and coriander.

2. The index number of fuel and lighting group has remained constant at 389 points.

3. The index number of clothing group has remained constant at 377 points.

4. The index number of rent group has been kept constant at 100 points, since no periodical surveys have been conducted.

5. The index number of miscellaneous group has increased by 1 point to 261 points due to a rise in the price of supari.

Sl. No.	Groups	Weights proportional to total expenditure	Group index numbers for the months of		
			June 1975	May 1976	June 1976
1.	Food	54.4	368	291	294
2.	Fuel & light	9.0	353	389	389
3.	Clothing	9 1	377	377	377
4.	Rent	2.6	100	100	100
5.	Miscellaneous	24 9	242	260	261
	All grops	100.0	340	298	300

The conversion factor for general index nos. is 4 22. To get the index nos. on base 1935—36—100, the index nos, with base 1960—100 has to be multiplied by the C F. (4.22).

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